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Correct data

Applicant(s): Gopalakrishnan G. Juttu

"Gopalakrishnana" should be "Gopalakrishnan". The correct spelling of the first name is shown in the "New Application Transmittal" letter and the Declaration which were submitted for the present application, copies of which are enclosed.

This correction is not due to any error of the Applicant, and the Applicant believes no fee is due. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees due by filing this paper or to credit any overpayment to Account no. 502025. Issuance of a corrected filing receipt is respectfully requested.

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**Assignment For Published Patent Application** 

Saudi Basic Industries Corporation;

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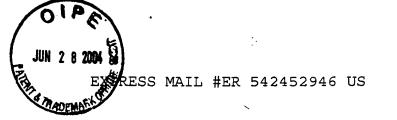
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Title

Catalyst for aromatization of alkanes, process of making and using thereof



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#### NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventors:

Gopalakrishnan G. Juttu

Robert Scott Smith

For: Catalyst for Aromatization of Alkanes, Process of Making and Using Thereof

This new application being transmitted claims the benefit of a prior U.S. application per 35 USC §120. This application is a divisional application under 37 CFR §1.53(b)(1) of prior U.S. application serial number 10/213,313 filed August 6, 2002.

The following papers are included:

- 20 pages of Specification (excluding claims)
  - 8 pages of Claims
- 1 page of Abstract
- 1 sheet of Informal Drawings
- 2 pages of Declaration
- 7 pages of Preliminary Amendment
- 6 pages of Information Disclosure Statement
- 1 page of Form 1595
- 4 pages of Assignment

The prior application is <u>not</u> being abandoned. The attached papers are a true copy of what is shown in my records to be prior application Serial No. 10/213,313, as originally filed on August 6, 2002, including the oath or declaration as originally filed.

A copy of the original Declaration signed by all of the inventors is enclosed. The inventorship for all the claims in this application is the same.

A copy of the original assignment of the invention to Saudi Basic Industries Corporation is being filed concurrently with this application. SERIAL NO.
JUTTU, SMITH

By the Preliminary Amendment filed concurrently with this paper, the specification is amended by inserting before the first line the sentence, "This is a divisional application of co-pending application Serial No. 10/213,313 filed August 6, 2002" and by canceling Claims 1-16. This divisional application contains original Claims 17-47 of the prior application, of which three are independent claims. Claims 1-16 should be canceled before calculating the fee.

### FEE CALCULATION:

CLAIMS AS FILED							
Number filed Nu	umber Extra	Rate	Basic Fee \$770.00				
Total Claims 3:	1 - 20 = 11 X	\$18.00	198.00				
Independent Claims	3 - 3 = 0 X	\$86.00	0.00				
Multiple dependent cla	aim(s) if any 0 X	\$290.00	0.00				
Total Fees			\$968.00				

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### DECLARATION

As below named inventors, we

Gopalakrishnan G. Juttu Robert Scott Smith

hereby declare that:

Our residences, post office addresses and citizenships are as stated below next to our names,

We believe we are the original, first and joint inventors of the subject matter which is described and claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention, design or discovery entitled "Catalyst for Aromatization of Alkanes, Process of Making and Using Thereof", the specification of which is attached hereto;

We have reviewed and understand the contents of the aboveidentified specification, including the claims;

We do not know and do not believe that said invention, design or discovery was ever known or used in the United States of America before our invention or discovery thereof, or patented or described in any printed publication in any country before our invention or discovery thereof, or more than one year prior to this application, or in public use or on sale in the United States of America more than one year prior to this application; that said invention, design or discovery has not been patented or made the subject of an inventor's certificate issued prior to the date of this application in any country foreign to the United States of America on an application filed by us or our legal representatives or assigns; and

We acknowledge our duty to disclose information of which we are aware which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with 37 C.F.R. Section 1.56(a).

We hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. Section 120 of the United States application listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application(s) in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. Section 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in 37 C.F.R. Section 1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application(s) and the national or PCT international date of this application:

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We hereby declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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